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RISKED LIFE AND PROPERTY

In Order to Help His Fellow Man—Should Be Rewarded.

Mr. Sam Lewis, President of the Board of Trade, Chairman of the Columbia Clinch Club, a man of aldermanic appearance, and above all, a well-known philanthropist with a heart as big as a wash tub, headed the Macdonald cry going up in Columbia last week for "light, and betook himself to Campbellville for several hundred gallons of the extract. Securing the oil he started homeward, but Green river confronted him—a raging torrent and only a frail craft to reach the opposite shore. A man of less nerve would have faltered, but not so with Mr. Lewis. He loaded his barrels into the boat and was soon in the swift current, which tossed and rocked the makeshift craft from side to side, the onlookers expecting every moment to see the 800 gallons of oil and occupants sink beneath the muddy waters. And having in his mind the scriptural quotation, "God said let there be light, and there was light," he managed finally to reach the other shore. Upon arriving at Columbia, the oil was distributed among several merchants, and the famine as it were, is a thing of the past. But for this philanthropic and heroic action on the part of Mr. Lewis, the consumers would have paid 30 or 40 cents per gallon, if it could have been secured at all. The people of Columbia and vicinity are under many obligations to the above named gentleman, and should show their gratitude by having him "appointed" postmaster or "Justice of the Peace," or some other exalted station to which there are so few applicants. Mr. Lewis says he regrets very much having sold his four "red" mules for he would have landed here with 1600 gallons.

FIRST CLASS STREETS

Being Made in Tutt Addition—Citizens Did The Grading.

The street leading from Fraser Avenue, (Tutt and Nell street), to the city limits, and Tutt street, connecting with the above and running to the city limits have been thoroughly graded, and we understand grading will begin this week.

Sometime since the property owners on these two streets made the City Council a proposition that they would make a good grade, ditches and culverts if the town of Columbia would gravel it. As stated in the News the proposition was accepted and now the work is under way, bidding fair to be two of the best thoroughfares within the corporate limits.

Too much praise cannot be given the men behind the work, viz: Nathan and John Waggener, J. C. Strange, J. R. Bell, W. H. Eubank, Byron Montgomery and H. C. Wolford.

The grading is first-class in every respect, as are the ditches and culverts, and with the proper amount of gravel will make a good road for many years to come. The example set by these citizens is a good one, and if followed by many, who only set and howl about "bad roads," Columbia and Adair county would soon come to the front in the matter of good roads. Again we say, "Hats off!" to the men behind this work.

A GOOD LADY DEAD.

Mrs. Nannie J. White Died After An Illness of Several Weeks.

On the 9th inst., at 7:00 o'clock, Mrs. Nannie J. White, of this city, whose illness had heretofore been reported, and whose death had been expected for many days, passed to her final reward at the hour above stated.

She was a daughter of Dr. Samuel B. and Nancy Fields, and was married to Mr. Wm. T. White, who preceded her to the grave several years ago. Death was due to a complication of diseases,

of which she had been a sufferer for many months. All the medical aid and good nursing could do was freely administered, but only to stay the hand of death for a short period.

She was a devoted member of the M. E. Church South, and died as she had lived, in the full faith of her Redeemer. Funeral services were held at the residence, by Rev. A. R. Kasey, her pastor, many friends and relatives being present to pay their last tribute of respect to a good Christian lady. Two children survive, being Mrs. Willie Robertson, and Mr. S. F. White, of this office, who have the sympathy of this community in this, their saddest hour of life.

HORRIBLE DEATH.

At the saw mill of Thomas Green, son of the owner, met with a horrible accident resulting in his death. Young Green was off-bearing, and as he stepped to get a slab, a foot slipped and he fell against the saw, the teeth of which caught in the young man's clothing, and before the saw could be stopped, both of his legs were broken, and one arm torn off. The victim of the accident was about fifteen years old, and bore an enviable reputation in his neighborhood.

GONE WEST.

Mr. J. H. Squires, one of Adair county's best young men, left last Monday, for Memphis, Texas, where he goes to locate. Mr. Squires is industrious, honest and competent to make his way successfully in the busy world of business, and his removal from Adair was for no other purpose than to find a broader field of action. His many friends in this section wish him a prosperous career in his Western adventure, and trust after he has made his fortune that he will return to the old home.

A MONEY MAKER.

We are in receipt of a card from the Greensburg Deposit Bank showing the condition of said bank at the close of business December 31st, 1906. On a capitalization of \$12,500, with a deposit of \$130,059.22, the banks gross earnings the past six months was \$4,677.16. As the above figures show, this bank is in a healthy condition, a money maker, and the showing should be very gratifying to its officers and directors.

RUSSELL CREEK ROLLER MILL.

Mr. G. W. Burchett, one of the proprietors of the Russell Creek Roller Mill, sold a one-third interest in the mill to Ed. Flavinus Barger, of Eato, Russell county, for \$3000. This makes a three member firm, Messrs. Burchett, Smith and Barger.

Eld. Barger is contemplating removing to Columbia or vicinity, and we trust that he will decide to cast his lot among us. We have ample room for such men as Mr. Barger.

DENNY—JOHNSON.

Miss Nettie Denny and Mr. Rollin Johnson, of the Galsberry section, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride last Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, the Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge officiating.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Amanda Denny, recently removed to this county from Wayne, and is said to be a charming young lady who has made many friends since coming here.

Mr. Johnson is a son of Mr. John R. Johnson, and is a young man, who has won the approbation of all by his many qualities and industry.

Our best wishes are with them.

EUBANK—BAKER.

Miss Hattie Eubank, of Purdy, and Mr. Edward R. Baker, of Bliss, were united in marriage last Wednesday, at the Columbia Hotel. The bride is a daughter of Mr. J. D. Eubank, and quite a popular young lady.

Mr. Baker is a farmer by trade, and a very excellent gentleman. The News extends its best wishes.

I will be in Columbia next Monday with a good span of mules for sale. 11-11
Coy E. DUDGON.

PRETTY HYPNOTIST.

Miss Ray McGarvey Puts Young Minister Under Strong Spell.

The Rev. R. T. Booker, of Scottsville, Ill., a student of the Bible College of Kentucky University, was Hypnotized by Miss Ray McGarvey, daughter of the Rev. J. W. McGarvey, president of the college, and for several hours it was feared that the result of the jesting effort of the young woman to display her powers would result seriously, as the subject could not be awakened. He did not recover full consciousness until last night, and was still confined to his bed from the nervous shock.

At a candy-pulling given by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Broadway Christian Church, something was said of the powers of Miss McGarvey as a Hypnotist. Mr. Booker expressed his skepticism on the subject, and Miss McGarvey, who is a handsome young woman about twenty-five years old, agreed to try her hand on the young preacher. She stroked his brow and eyelids in the regulation hypnotist's way, and soon Mr. Booker remarked that he felt sleepy, and finally closed his eyes in sound slumber. The people were much amused, but soon by snapping her fingers and other methods, the fair hypnotist was unable to arouse him.

The merry company was thrown into a panic. Mr. Booker was at length aroused sufficiently to be taken home by his companions, who watched by his bedside until he realized what he had gone through. Although he is still nervous and upset, no serious results are expected.

Miss McGarvey has a local reputation as a hypnotist. She learned the art from Miss Edna Bellue, a teacher at Richmond, Ky., where Miss McGarvey attended school. On one occasion Miss McGarvey hypnotized her aunt, Miss Mattie Taylor, of Richmond, who did not wake up for fifteen hours—Louisville Times.

Miss McGarvey is well known in this city, having frequently visited her grandfather, Dr. U. L. Taylor.

OUR FRIEND.

Should we forsake a faithful friend On whom we always can depend, For present help in time of need?

By one who is a friend indeed? Devoid of guilt and free from guile, He seeks to serve you all the while; To guard us well in his delight.

Through weary watches of the night. When going out to walk or ride This trusting friend is near my side, And we unto the man or brute

Who would our right of way dispute Then tell me not in reason's name, That he has not the very same,

Or talk of instinct if you will But we will call it reason still; For few there be of human kind

So constant as this friend of mine. Why should not mortal man be proud To own a friend that's thus endowed?

So we'll defy their dogged will And spend a dollar William will.

J. T. JONES, Montpelier, Ky.

PREACHING NEXT SUNDAY.

J. L. Adkins, Albany.
W. H. C. Sandidge, Union.
W. S. Dugden, Plum Point.
J. F. Roach, Pierce's Chapel.
A. R. Kasey, Columbia.
J. A. Johnston, Cane Valley.
G. J. Wilson, Elroy.
T. J. Campbell, Antioch.
F. J. Barger, Pleasant Hill.
Z. T. Williams, Mt. Pleasant.
H. T. Jessee, Smith's Grove.
J. F. Cook, Columbia.

WITHDRAW CALENDAR OFFER.

As stated heretofore, the News' calendar offer closed Tuesday, January 15th. Our books will be run, and all parties due a calendar, and who have not received it, will be immediately forwarded one.

A CALL.

A meeting of the Adair County Farmer's Institute on next Saturday at 1 p. m., in the Court-house, is desired. Don't forget the date and allow other

business to prevent your attendance. This meeting is important, as a report from the programme committee should be made, and many other steps taken to perfect the organization, and advance the interests of Adair county farmers. The court-house Saturday, 1 p. m.
H. B. GARNETT.

FOR SALE.

I will sell my house and lot of 1 acre. Four room house, barn and out-buildings, situated in Gradyville. A desirable home cheap. I am going West. Call if you mean business.
C. S. WALKUP.

SHIPPING DRESSED LUMBER.

Mr. T. J. Goodman, Jr., of the Columbia Planing Mill Co., was in Louisville last week and made arrangement with the Central Planing Mill Co., to ship them 25,000 feet of dressed poplar lumber. The Columbia people will ship this concern much more lumber in the near future.

Mr. Corbett Breeding, who we mentioned some weeks ago as accepting a position with the wholesale hardware house of Robinson Bros. & Co., reached Columbia Friday evening, after spending a few weeks in the house. Mr. Breeding was assigned territory south of Cumberland river in this State and several counties in Northern Tennessee and will make Burksville, Ky., headquarters. We wish this excellent young man a good trade and success in his new field of labor.

J. P. Dohoney, Sr., sold to Geo. Young, of Cumberland county, a part of his farm near Columbia supposed to contain near 120 acres for \$12. per acre. This is an excellent piece of land and in one of the best communities in the county. It will be improved and used as a stock farm by his sons, R. K. Young, of Columbia, and Marvin Young of Cumberland county.

Miss Amanda Bennett, sister of Mr. George Bennett, died of heart trouble at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Annias Bennett, Sunday evening. The deceased had been in delicate health for several months and her death was not unexpected. Miss Bennett was a highly respected lady, whose relatives have the sympathy of all in their bereavement.

Mrs. Ida Watson, of the Harmony country, died Sunday evening of consumption. Mrs. Watson was about the house as usual Sunday, until nearly six o'clock, when she suffered with a hemorrhage, from the effect of which, she died in a few minutes. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. Wm. Yates, of Fairplay.

Mr. I. R. Henson and Miss Nora Wheeler were married at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. N. S. Wheeler, Wednesday the 9th day of January. This young couple have the best wishes of their many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam W. Beck gave their youngest son, Master Keith, on his fourth anniversary, a birthday dinner. Quite a number of children were invited, and all seemed to enjoy the occasion very much.

Born to the wife of Mr. W. R. Lyon, on last Sunday January 6th, a son, weight 13-1-2 pounds. Mr. Lyons says he is a Democrat and a member of the Commercial Club.—Taylor Co. Inquirer.

Mrs. Elizabeth Daugherty, who is making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Cheatham, near Bliss, is in a helpless condition, caused by a catch in her hip.

All parties owing me notes or accounts will please call and settle, as I need the money. This means you, if you owe me.
L. R. CHELF, Knifley, Ky.

John B. Coffey, of the firm of Young & Coffey, has returned from the South and reports the mule market fairly good. Mr. James Young is expected home within a few days.

All persons indebted to the firm of Wm. Jeffries & Sons, by either note or account, are requested to come forward and settle at once. Wm. F. JEFFRIES & SONS.
10-21.

CITIZENS OF GREEN COUNTY

Favor a Pike From Greensburg to the County Seat of Adair.

Greensburg has the opportunity of her life. This opportunity ought to be taken advantage of now and turn the tide of affairs. Columbia, our progressive and high toned little neighbor, is in distress and it is up to us to go at once to her relief. This relief can, ought to be, must be and it has got to be offered to her by the citizens of Green county and Greensburg.

Since the bridge over Green river burned, Columbia is in the middle of a mighty bad fix so far as convenience is concerned. There is no Ferry at the river and when the river is high the merchants have a lot of trouble getting their goods to Columbia. They have to come by Greensburg, and these old Green county roads are a bad thing to offer our neighbor in her trouble. They are the best we have, but that does not satisfy the teamsters who have been hauling four thousand pounds of freight to Columbia over the pike. They look mad, muddy and disgusted with their little loads of one thousand pounds leaving our depot. We do not know what these teamsters say about us when they get over to Columbia with their teams and wagons loaded down with our good rich soil that they have picked up on the way, but we can imagine that the Fiscal Court and the Overseers are touched up to a lively tune.

Now what must be done? The merchants here must have got to head the list with a big subscription for a pike to be built at once to the Adair county line and by the time we get there Columbia will have been there waiting for us with her end completed. Now why not begin this right now and go to work? Delay is hard on Columbia and disastrous to Greensburg. It cuts both ways.

Adair county citizens are fine fellows and their teamsters are good looking and their wagons are big and deep and their teams are fat and it looks good to see them on our streets. We like them since they have been paying us a few visits. We want all of them to come over with their big wagons and let our Green county teamsters see that they have fine teams and they do not look tired and that by the size of their wagon beds they have been hauling big loads.

The only way to keep them coming over here is to bait them with a good road and they will bite right along, because these men appreciate a good road. We have lots of room for them in which to feed their teams and we will give them a hearty welcome for every meal. Who will start the move?

We are informed that a citizen of this county will take up the matter of circulating a paper for a free turnpike to the county line. He will also build a half mile of the road free. This looks like business and we hope our people may become enthused to the working point.—Green County Record.

ENTERTAINMENT.

The Concert given by Prof. Ohlenmacher, Miss Meek and Miss Penland, in the court-house last Friday evening was well attended, although it was a very disagreeable night, a steady rain falling. The programme consisting of selections of the highest order was rendered in such a manner as to show complete mastery of both music and elocution. In every particular the entertainment was highly enjoyed. The receipts were satisfactory to those under whose auspices it was given, the Ladies Aid Society of the Columbia Baptist Church. The hearty applause evidenced the hearty enjoyment of the audience which could not be mistaken by those participating in the rendition of the programme.

Mr. James Antle, wife and four children, who left for Texas, Monday and on reaching Louisville, changed their minds and arrived in Columbia, on their return, Tuesday night, Mrs. Antle was sick and felt unable to make the trip. Texas has been abandoned so far as they are concerned.

Hobson's Slaughter Sale--Dry Goods

John A. Hobson, Greensburg, Ky., is going to quit the Dry Goods business and needs floor space for heavy Hardware and other heavy goods that he already has in stock. He will make his place of business the "ONLY HARDWARE STORE" in this section.

Overcoats, Clothing, Jackets, Long Coats, Shoes, Hats, Dress Goods--Everything in Dry Goods Less than Factory Prices

JONH A. HOBSON

GREENSBURG KY.

HELENA, ARK.

The News came yesterday for the first time since I have been in Helena. It is not only one of the best local papers in the 11th Congressional district, but the best, and I congratulate Bro. Harris on the improvement. I also received a copy of the Spectator and note that George and May are doing their best.

The world is now the only Daily in this section, the Daily Bulletin having suspended publication yesterday. Memphis, which is eighty miles above Helena, is our nearest town having daily papers and it does not effect our interests in the least. Helena is the best town I have ever been in and its people the very best to be found anywhere. It has a population of 12,000 and is the terminal for three railroads, with another road building. Besides these advantages, the town is right under the levee on the Mississippi river and its shipping facilities cannot be surpassed by any town on the Mississippi river. The water used is artesian, and the supply is abundant for a town having three times the population of Helena, and the location very healthful. To the rear of the town are the hills where the battle of Helena was fought during the civil war, and on one of these hills is located the reservoir which supplies the city with water. This morning Mr. Burks, foreman of the World's printing department, and myself went out on battle hill, which overlooks the city, and spent several hours looking over the field. Forty years of storm and rain have washed away the earth from the trenches where the dead were buried after the battle, disclosing the skeletons of those who fell during the three days fight, and in many places bones are lying scattered about. We found one skull partly embedded in a sand bank and on digging it out it crumbled away.

The view from the battle hill is magnificent. In the valley below one has a fine view of the city and harbor and the large plantations across the river in Mississippi. By invitation of Capt. Carvil, of the steam ferry, Zerah Jr., which by the way is a better boat than the Rowena, Messrs. Adams, Burks and myself went aboard and had a delightful trip to the landing on the Mississippi side three miles up the river. When we reached the landing we found a large crowd of plantation negroes awaiting us. As soon as the boat touched the shore men and women crowded aboard and the Zerah immediately put into mid-stream where she lay-to and drifted. Capt. Carvil explained that it was the custom every day in the week, and especially on Sunday, to take the negroes aboard and sell them whiskey and beer as they lived in local option districts. With this information I went below and found two bartenders, with their sleeves rolled up, busily engaged in dispensing "bug juice" and beer to the thirsty blacks. Having supplied their wants, the boat put back to the shore and as the "coons" walked down the gang plank each one carried one or more bottles of rectified spirits. After having shipped a cargo of cotton the boat started on her return trip, and the Captain and crew served refreshments and drank to the health of the World and its new management. The World force retaliated with Mississippi water?

There are quite a number of Kentuckians here and while the memories of the "Old Kentucky Home" are sweetly fragrant to them, they like Helena best and are content to spend the remainder of their days here, for there is something worth living for in this country. The dear old state has its warm, generous hearted people, its clear running streams and many other attractions, but its resources in many places are about exhausted, while this country is in its prime with great possibilities for the future and then its resources are inexhaustible.

We are busy fitting up our building and installing new machinery. For twenty years the World has been using a six horse steam engine, but we are putting in three motors and a gas engine, and in a few days will put the old engine out of commission. At present we are running only Linotype and three jobbers but as they are inadequate to the demands we will install another Linotype and another jobber at an early date. We have now twelve persons on the pay roll in the office and still we are unable to supply the demands for job work although we work night shifts. This work comes to us unsolicited. This beats rattling your bones over rocky roads hunting for orders and finding them scarce.

With best wishes for the News, its force and all of its readers, I am sincerely, J. M. SCOTT, managing editor of the World.

The News and Louisville Daily Herald \$2.

LULA.

Steam boats are making regular trips.

Rev. F. M. Platt will move his family to Creelsboro in the near future.

Mr. Lee Snow happened to a very serious accident last Saturday by a mule kicking him in the right side. He is thought to be some better at this writing.

John Dunbar sold a cow and calf to F. M. Platt the other day. Price unknown.

Misses Minnie and Ersie Vaughan, of Gar, and Laura Jones and Essie Vaughan, of Kendal, were the guests of Lula Morrison Sunday.

The school at this place taught by Mr. Marcus Hale, will close Jan. 28. Prof. Hale has taught a very successful school.

Mr. Elmer Wheat, the County Clerk, of Jamestown, made a flying trip here New Year's day.

Mr. Owen McKinley, of Sewellton, visited his uncle, Wm. McFall Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Marcus McKinley, of Bart and Mr. James Smith, of Ono, was here last week on business.

"They like the taste as well as maple sugar" is what one mother wrote of Kennedy's (containing) Honey and Tur. This modern cough syrup is absolutely free from any opiate or narcotic, and does not stupefy or constipate. Conforms to the National Food and Drug Law. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, Columbia, Ky.

SANO.

Mr. F. T. Abrell and Miss Myrtle Harmon were married at the residence of the bride Dec. 29th by Rev. D. G. Shepherd.

Born to the wife of Fred Shaw, a boy.

James Campbell has returned from a visit to relatives in Putnam county, Tenn.

Brockman & Brockman are closing out their stock of goods at cost.

Loe Bryant and Sam White have returned from Illinois.

Isham Kerns has moved from this place to Kerns.

A Wonderful Happening.

Port Byron, N. Y., has witnessed one of the most remarkable cases of healing ever recorded. Amos F. King, of that place says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured a sore on my leg with which I had suffered over 80 years. I am now eighty five." Guaranteed to cure all sores, by T. E. Paul, Druggist 25c.

Lindsay--Wilson

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Board in Dormitory \$7 per Mo.

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OR FURTHER INFORMATION
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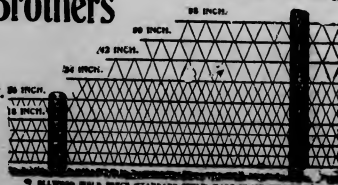
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FROM MELVIN WHITE.

Cliffside, N. C., 1, 7, 1907.
EDITOR NEWS:—

Allow me here to inform those I left in Old Kentucky, that I am at Cliffside, N. C., in charge of school at this place as principal.

Misses Brown and Webb are assisting me, and proving themselves laborers worthy of their hire.

We have 118 pupils and are likely to have 150, or thereabouts.

But the main object of this effusion is to speak of my visit to my native land, and allow me to assure all and sundry that one of the dearest wishes of my life has been realized.

It will be remembered that I left there in 1882, aged 24. I felt that a Macedonian cry was ascending to high heaven that I might fill a long felt want for Hitchcock's Analysis of the Bible and fill it to overflowing.

In my hopeful adolescence I had failed to learn that religion and education were not regulated by the law of supply and demand. However I met the enemy and was his. The people of North Carolina did not possess a raging thirst for the sacred volume, but were disposed to collect every shekel due them for food and shelter, and in this they were like the other children of men.

J. Newton Coffey, who rivaleth the ground hog as a soothsayer and a weather prophet, will rise up and bear witness that I speak truly. When I left the borders of the martial commonwealth that is celebrated in song and story, I felt that I was but a brief sojourner in a strange land. Howbeit, when my shekels and I parted company I felt ashamed to go back in the role of prodigal son.

I therefore betook myself to teaching, which some regard as the last resort of the shiftless, the lame and the lazy, of course no man nor yet any son of man ever saw and opulent teacher, but I yearned to be a record breaker like many other people who don't know what they are talking about. I felt that I could revolutionize farming in the South.

People were eking out a precarious subsistence raising cotton, and I felt that as cotton was king and bound the nations over to keep the peace, I could make it a powerful ally. I was one of the numerous financial wrecks that felt he could teach people something that the Amateur doesn't know himself. Later, a man who sounded the loud timbrel over Egypt's dark waters as a clock peckler awakened slumbering dreams of opulence.

This was a better venture than selling books, for I was guaranteed \$40 per month and expenses. But the Legislatures of Georgia and Alabama imposed a tax of \$7.00 license per county. This meant virtually prohibition, far as selling clocks was concerned, and we felt that a store was what the haughty Southerner needed.

So in 1892, we carried the war into Africa. Later cotton began to go down until a price of five cents per pound was reached.

Again we threw up the sponge. Every winter I had taught school, and now turned my attention, when school was over, to journalism. I gave people hot stuff, and regarded it my mission to comfort the politically pure in heart and call political sinners to repentance.

I seemed to be on the tidal wave of prosperity, but my editor-in-chief allied himself with the gold standard democrats, and our clientele blasphemed. I had increased circulation from

600 to 2000 subscribers, had written more than any body else, and had gotten in about all the sinews of war. I was for Bryan and free silver, and am still a 'votin'. But our paper took a journey up Salt river, and is doubtless hunting the headwaters thereof. Then like the sweet singer of captive Israel when asked for a song of Zion, I sat me down by the roaring Yarkin and wept.

But, while my eyes are dim with added years, while the snow that never melts has gathered on my temples I have learned at the school of experience. Hence, while not a blooming capitalist, I am in better financial shape.

So with years of longing unsatisfied, I started, on Dec., 13, 1906, to the dark bloody ground. I found Louisville grown out of all expectation, and was agreeably surprised at Columbia's upward and onward march. The town has spread all over Boomer Heights, had a fine Court House and clock tower, an excellent jail, modern brick business houses, the Lindsay-Wilson College, a new dormitory and principal's residence for the M. & F. High School; three excellent banks where but one existed 25 years ago, two hotels that would grace more pretentious towns and fine suburban residences galore.

I found Col. L. B. Hurt a man of aldermanic proportions, with the same warm generous heart as of yore. Rollin Hurt an adroit and successful lawyer, Jessie White a man fixed to enjoy life and magnifying his office thereat. James Garnett a brainy and able lawyer, John Ed Murrell big as life and four times as natural, Frank Winfrey looking so natural would have known his hide in a tan yard, Joe Coffey, Sr., the same polished old school gentleman, A. I. Hurt the same urbane kind man as of yore, Billy Pile of great breadth of beam and a heart in strict keeping, John R. Johnson as clever as men ever get to be, which was just as I expected.

Cousin Bram Jones and I reviewed our youth for he dwelleth in a castle of pomp and splendor, and Cousin Logan Bomar caused me to shed briny tears because a deputy had no poetry in his soul.

As to genuine friends and sterling citizens, it was my pleasure to again see Uncle Jesse Stone, whose gray head is a crown of glory and whom all will testify is a Christian gentleman, and withal an honest man, the noblest work of God.

I also met Tobe Hurt, another friend true as steel, and "Bud" as Young E. is familiarly called. I enjoyed the hospitality of Leslie Johnston and also that of James Frankum, two old friends.

I called at the home of Bascom Garnett, an old friend and school mate, and spent several delightful hours. I was the guest of Mrs. Lizzie Pile, an old friend of mine and other members of the family. I also enjoyed hospitality of Orbie Todd and met in a social way, Long Bob Conover, Bob McCaffrey, Claud and Billy Hurt allowed me to place my knees under their tables and I paid the cooks an expensive compliment. Newt Coffey, Nick Page, Jim Russell, Olie Russell, Ed Reed and hundreds of other near and dear friends I met and had pleasant times with.

It was my exalted pleasure to meet Miss Sallie Stewart and Mrs. Monterey Dohoney, two excellent ladies, who caused my youthful ambition to mount its little ladder, and strove to make me realize that a budding genius was

about to plume its half fledged wings. Later I'll write about this much more as to Judge Junius Hancock and Horace Jeffries, who were so graciously hospitable and will mention Dr. U. L. Taylor, Rev. Z. T. Williams, Jas. Page, and Rev. W. K. Azbill. I have something else to offer as to James Garnett, Esq., and Masonic banquet.

Before closing I wish to pay a deserved tribute to a piano recital to which it was my pleasure to listen in Columbia. Of course I prefer simple and familiar melodies, and called for "Old Kentucky Home." It was extended with good effect and like Mark Twain at the reputed tomb of his progenitor, Adam, I was over come with tumultuous emotions and wept.

Once a Kentuckian always a Kentuckian, and no ballad of bygone days is more popular than this plaintive melody. As before stated this is like the serial love story "To be continued in our next issue." I am just getting started and shall touch up on various matters incident to my two weeks sojourn in God's country. MELVIN L. WHITE.

PORTLAND.

As there has been nothing from this place lately, I will try to tell a few X-mas happenings.

"Old Santa" set a very nice supper at the home of S. D. Caldwell on X-mas eve, consisting of Oyster Soup, candies, cakes, fruits, etc.

Mrs. R. L. Davis entertained a few of her friends on X-mas day.

Misses Edith Squires and Mollie Caldwell visited at Mr. F. P. Dohoney's Wednesday night.

Shreve and Fred Davis entertained a number of their little friends. Rex Holladay, Joe Naylor, Charlie Caldwell, George Cheatham and Caleb, Frank and Jim Caldwell.

On Friday Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Yates, gave a nice dinner in honor of Mrs. G. H. Nell and children, Gradyville, also Miss Irene Yates and Mr. Ernest Yates, McGregor Texas.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Caldwell entertained the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hindman, Mrs. G. H. Nell and children, Mr. Ernest Yates, Misses Amy and Dollie Dohoney, Pearl Hindman, Irene Yates, Messrs. Rollin Caldwell, Chapman Dohoney, Vervin Compton, R. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Waggener, Mr. R. L. Davis and family. All present reported an enjoyable occasion.

Miss Edith Squires gave a party on Saturday night and all report a good time.

Mr. R. L. Caldwell visited J. H. Caldwell Saturday night.

Master Joe Naylor and Rex Holladay, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Waggener a few days of the Holidays.

We are very much helped up over the prospects of having a telephone at this place in the near future.

Miss Oritha Dowdy closed her school at this place X-mas day with a nice treat, each child received a present.

When the cold winds dry and crack the skin a box of salve can save much discomfort. In buying salve look for the name on the box to avoid any imitations, and be sure you get the original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, Columbia, Ky.

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BLISS.

Messrs. Weed, Tarter & McInteer, of Larned, Kansas, were here this week visiting their sister, Mrs. Sandidge.

Mr. John Parrish, of Cumberland county, is visiting here this week. Jno came here with a nice bunch of cattle and sold his interest in some to Mr. Herriford.

Mr. Jake Miller came very near losing his home not long since by fire falling on roof from chimney. Had it not been for some one passing who made the discovery, while the family were at dinner, the house would have soon burned, but to be on the safe side he had a metal roof put on this week.

Mr. Wm. Ferguson who is stationed at St. Mary's in the revenue business spent Sunday at home.

Mr. C. M. Herriford shipped a nice bunch of cattle Friday, to the Louisville market, there were some fine butcher cows well fatted for the time of year.

Mr. Whitlock, of Exie, Green county, who bought the late M. J. Murrell farm has moved with his family and are now citizens of the Bliss community.

Mr. Ed Baker was married to Miss Eubank, of Vester, Tuesday. We welcome him and his new companion to our community and bespeak for them a bright future. Mr. Baker was a brave and faithful soldier boy and a good Christian man.

Before this goes to print, Mr. E. M. Staples, wife and a number of Gradyville, families will be wending their way to the far South West, their future home.

It is sad to see so many of the bone and sinew of our country leaving to never return as citizens, taking away money that is needed here, all because the proper efforts are not made to keep them here, and to make capital, means of transportation, resources for labor that would bring fair wages that would adorn our hillside with the beauties of the vineyard and orchard and the fruit shipped to the markets of the world. The fragrance of our new mown hay would invite the sons and daughters to return to the land that flows with milk and honey and a good honest living for all were her resources developed.

Master Tommy Conover, son of John Conover, (Bant) had croup this week.

Miss Clarice Stotts and two of Mr. John Moran's children started to the L. W. T. S. Monday and are rooming at the old Christian College.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP

Tom Young bought 6 acres of land from Nathan McKinley for \$150.—Jopla Cor.

R. H. Campbell sold three young Duroc Jersey hogs for \$20 each. There is a great demand for well-bred hogs, and they sell readily at high figures; M. B. May bought one black mare from John Earhart, for \$150; Messrs. Gable and Shearer, who live near here, sold their farm to Reuben Cook for \$3,700 and their personal holdings at public sale Thursday, fair prices being realized; A. M. Vaughan from Cave City, was here several days of last week on a prospective deal for a farm. He is a dealer in fine stock, and wants a farm of 300 acres; Mr. Wm. Smith bought 10 acres of land from Rouben Cook, at \$37 per acre; Henry Buchanan sold the timber off of his farm for \$4000. The time is not good, and this is considered a big deal for Buchanan.—Hatcher Cor.

Venus Royce bought a yoke of oxen from Granville Estes for \$27. He also sold a yoke to Elbert Pulliam for \$50 and another to Haskin Stapp for \$30; Haskin Stapp sold a large yoke of work cattle for \$30.—Dirigo Cor.

J. C. Jones sold to J. W. Corneal, 2 hogs at 5 cents per pound; Joe Fitch bought of Erb White a nice mare for \$150; Mr. Z. T. Pelley bought of R. S. Rector one hog at 5 cents per pound.—Pelleyton Cor.

Mr. Geo. W. Staples purchased a sorrel gelding of E. M. Staples for \$140.

Mr. Dave Bridgewater, of Greens-

burg, bought of Tandy and Herriford 52 hogs at 54 cents; Mr. W. B. Rowe was here looking after cattle.—Bliss Correspondent.

Jo Yates sold last week his house and six acres of land near this place to Mrs. Vina Burris for \$450. This is a nice piece of property and will make the old lady a desirable home to spend the remainder of her days.—Gradyville Cor.

Mr. George Young, of Waterview, Cumberland county, father of R. K. Young, of this city, purchased of Mr. J. P. Dohoney, Sr., about 150 acres of land for \$15 per acre. This tract is about one half of Mr. Dohoney's farm and adjoins John Conover. In our judgment this is the cheapest piece of property sold near Columbia for several years.

Charles Herriford, of Bliss, sold Dave Bridgewater 52 hogs at 54 cents; and 17 steers at 34 cent per lb., also 4 heifers at \$2.40. Deering & Hardesty 32 cattle for \$725; Flowers Bros., 5 steers at \$3.40; J. H. C. Sandidge 5 steers for \$85; J. H. Smith two steers for \$47 and Tom Hughes 6 pigs for \$12. Mr. Herriford bought two cows from Clayton Bell for \$36; one from Dick Shirley for \$20; one from Tom Hughes for \$12.60; 9 hogs from Tom Hughes for \$75; 5 from R. G. Price for \$48; 60 barrels of corn from R. G. Price for \$120; 20 barrels from Luther Willis for \$100; 40 barrels from E. N. Salmon for \$80; two head of cattle from Tom Dohoney for \$48; three from Flowers Bros. for \$72.50; two from Rev. Sandidge for \$30; 1 cow from Bettie Smith \$20; 32 head of cattle from John Parrish, of Bakerton, \$40; 2 cattle from Zed Akin \$40.

Solomon McFarland sold Horace Masie and Claud Callison 4 mule colts for \$317, an average of \$79.25.

Braxton Masie sold Mr. Whitlock, near Bliss, a pair of mules for \$300.

Jo Reed, unintentionally, sold his span of horses to Sam Browning for \$300.

Burchett & Smith will pay 80 cents for good wheat at their mill or at Exchange in Columbia.

PAID LIST.

The News Honor Roll. "Is Your Name Written There?"

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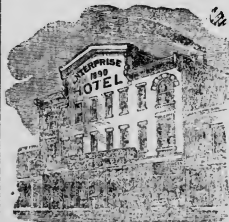
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er, J. A. L. Yates, Mrs. Georgina Shelton, J. P. Dohoney, Sr., Mrs. J. W. Butler, J. A. Morgan, Mrs. Susan Rippetoe, Mrs. D. E. Tandy, H. D. Cofar, Alvin Browning, Sel Bennett, Corbett Breeding, J. P. Beard, Louis Howell, J. T. Phillips, J. R. Christie, G. T. Murrah, S. P. Rice, J. T. Hardin, R. H. Christie, W. F. Cantrell, Alvin Corbin, J. J. Biggs, George Hancock, Ed Yates, G. L. Rosenbaum, O. E. Young, W. W. Bradshaw, W. R. Watson, T. L. Dunbar, J. T. Goodman.

The Board of Supervisors are yet in session, and are playing no favorites—raising the assessment as they find it necessary.

Born, to the wife of Mr. Frank Burton, of McGaha Saturday evening, January 12th, a daughter.

Come and see the changes made in the Columbia Restaurant. 10-11

The Columbia Restaurant has been overhauled, and can give you a first-class meal. J. R. RASNER, Prop. 10-11

Mr. W. G. Turner and child, of this county, was in Lakeland last Monday to see his wife who is confined in the asylum. He reports no improvement in her condition.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Their Presence in Politics Would Be Purifying.

The question of woman suffrage has often been agitated by the press and the people in some sections of this country, but to the minds of a majority of men it has seemed an unwise law to adopt, allowing pure and noble womanhood to have a voice in the corrupt political contests for office in this day and time because they are regarded as too sympathetic and kind to sustain an equal showing with unscrupulous men, who make political trickery a part of their existence, and a great many women are not looked upon by men as being possessed of sufficient determination and will power to cope with men, who have powerful minds and the strength to carry their point in the direction of gain to themselves.

And again men think that women may be easily turned from the course they first might have intended to pursue by a little coaxing, although a great many of the sex have strong wills and determination that often causes a man to come to the conclusion that he has met his equal on any proposition. This class of women would hold their own in politics because they have minds of their own and they will not be changed from what they believe is proper and right. There is no question but what woman's presence in politics would lend a purifying influence to the corrupt methods now in vogue and doubtless most of them would vote with as much judgment and with as much regard to principles which would be to the best interest of the Government, as a majority of the men, from the facts there are lots of men who have no regard for party principles and things that are best for our country, they will vote any way for the almighty dollar.

Another thing can be said in favor of women and truthfully too, and that is they would certainly not sell their votes under any consideration—they might vote for a man for love but not for money.

If women ever should be allowed to have a voice in choosing the public officers, then why would it not be fair and just to allow them to hold a portion of the public positions in the gift of the Nation, the County and the State. It is very seldom indeed that a woman is elected to office unless it pertains to educational affairs or to some minor position in the gift of the Government or the State or County, although they are sometimes appointed to positions in the public service. This state of affairs does not exist on account of women not being qualified to perform the duties of office owing to the fact that a great many women of this day are better qualified, better posted on the important questions constantly before the people, than lots of fellows who are office holders.

A popular idea when it is considered in its true light would be to have more thought of the true womanhood of our country along these lines and take more consideration of their welfare, give them a chance to prove their competency to cope with men in public affairs of life. Do not put all the draguery on them because they are gentle and will bear it. Of course men should hold the reins of the Government in their hands, but under them and in the voice of the people are many places that could be filled with credit by women. Give the fair creatures of earth some consideration and let the men get out and do the work awhile. F. McL.

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DIRIGO.

The past few days have been so warm that our farmers are beginning to think that spring is here. But I guess that within the next few days they will realize that it is a little too early to plant corn.

Mrs. J. W. Campbell has had another stroke of paralysis and is in a critical condition.

J. W. McClister, J. J. England, G. G. Campbell, and Hiram Stotts were in Columbia one day last week.

Mrs. Charles Bennett, Fairplay, visited her daughter, Mrs. J. W. McClister, several days last week.

G. C. McKinney and little daughter, Lizzie Anna, who have been visiting relatives here since the Holidays returned to their home at Jeffersonville, Indiana, last Thursday.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harris is quite sick with pneumonia.

Finis and Alvy Stotts and J. G. Campbell attended the sale at Fravis Keen's in Cumberland county last Saturday.

Two little boys of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Campbell were amusing themselves the other day by cutting corn-stalks with a hoe, when one of them accidentally dug the other on the head cutting a place about two inches long.

Keith Biby, Glenville, was here last Saturday to do some work on the boiler at the saw mill of Campbell, Stotts & Co.

R. L. Campbell has been suffering the past few days with a boil on his face.

Mrs. Finis Stotts was on the sick list a few days last week.

R. O. Stotts who has been sick for the past four weeks is convalescent.

Sam Garmon and wife, Rugby, visited J. J. England a day or so last week.

Robt. Turner and family have removed to Oklahoma.

Mrs. James Brooks has rejoined her husband at Moody, Texas.

Mrs. Nancy England is visiting relatives in the Red Lick neighborhood.

J. W. Campbell is on the sick list.

County Surveyor McCubbins, has been here for the past few days surveying land for J. E. Cloywell, J. M. Campbell et al.

Charlie F. Horness and Hayden Harvey entered school at Breeding last Monday.

R. L. Campbell closed his school at the Bird District January 4th. This was his third term at that place. He says that he believes that the department at the above named school is without an equal, and he is quite thankful for the kindness shown him by both patrons and pupils, and shall ever treasure in sacred memory the friendship formed by such association.

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COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 94, F. and A. M.—Regular meeting in their hall, over bank, on Friday night or on before the full moon in each month.
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COLUMBIA CHAPTER, R. A. M., No. 7, meets Friday night after full moon. SAM LEWIS, H. P. Hence Jeffries, Secretary.

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IRVIN'S STORE.

Marion Thomas died last Saturday of a complication of diseases and was buried at old Friendship, Sunday.

Born to the wife of Thomas Seales, a boy.

Last Friday Sheriff Hammond accompanied by his two deputies, Shelby and Butcher, arrested Harrison Gosser and Carlisle Roy. Gosser soon gave them the slip. They brought Roy to this place and he undertook to run off. 15 or 20 shots were fired at him and he fired two at Shelby. He was soon surrounded and taken safely to jail where he will have a hard time of it for some time.

The Fonthill roller mills have resumed work again after a holiday and still make the best of flour.

J. M. Wilson, of Nancy, was here one day last week.

Mrs. James Roy, who has been at Lakeland asylum for some time, is back home much improved.

The new church at Union is almost completed.

A Memorable Day.

One of the days we remember with pleasure, as well as with profit to our health, is the one on which we became acquainted with Dr. King's New Life Pills, the painless purifiers that cure headache and biliousness, and keep the bowels right. 25c. at T. E. Paul's Store.

PELLYTON.

Mr. Owen Lemmon, wife and son, Wilbert, are visiting relatives at this place.

Born to the wife of C. R. Rurks, January 1st, agirl.

Mr. W. H. Barnett will have sale next Saturday and leave

for Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. Susie Lerbaugh and little son, Other, visited relatives at Columbia last week.

Miss Nora Neat, of Ella, is visiting her brother, Tom Neat, this week.

Messrs. T. O. Morton, Ennis Sanders. Marvin Perryman and Miss Daisy Morton left last Sunday for Columbia where they will enter the Lindsay-Wilson Training school.

Born to the wife of Ben Blair. December 20th a girl.

Messrs. Bennett and Grover Henson, who have been confined to their rooms for some time with typhoid fever, are rapidly improving.

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DIRIGO.

Robert Stotts, who has fever, is still in a very critical condition.

Landy Stotts sold a horse to Ed Wheeler, price unknown.

R. E. Strange, who tends the stove yard at Greensburg, is at home for a few days.

Clardy Stotts and little sister, Caroline, visited relatives at Gradyville last week.

Miss Bertha Hamilton, Nell, was at J. R. Royse's one night last week.

Willie Spoon and Miss Lola Page, of near here, were married a few days ago. Rev. T. J. Campbell officiating.

Elbert and Owen Pulliam,

Fairplay, visited relatives at this place, last week.

William Harris is laid up this week with a very severe boil on the foot.

H. A. Moss, Greensburg, was at Houston Strange's last Wednesday night.

Miss Bettie Strange is on the sick list this week.

J. G. Campbell visited his sister, Mrs. Eldridge Stotts, at Gradyville, last Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Tean Earles is visiting relatives in the Breeding neighborhood, this week.

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CANE VALLEY.

S. C. Neat was calling on our merchants last Monday.

"Uncle" Billy Peterson moved to Coburg this week.

Ruel Hutchison lost a valuable work horse one day last week.

Charley Jones was visiting the family of G. B. Hendrickson one night last week.

J. W. Hancock, who has been confined with rheumatism, is able to be out again.

The recent rains have made some of our dirt roads almost impassible. It would be well for us to take notice of this and next summer let us prepare for winter time in the way of road making.

Mrs. Fannie Page, wife of W. B. Page, has been very sick for several days.

F. E. G. Christie and family have returned home after an extended visit to friends and relatives in Taylor county.

Ed Eubank returned home from Edmondton where he attended the funeral services of his sister, Mrs. Mollie Vanzant.

Jack Bailey and two sisters, Misses Mollie and Anna, left last Friday for Moody Texas where they will make their future home.

Tom Bumgarner and wife, of Petersburg, Ill., returned home after a pleasant visit to friends and relatives at this place.

E. G. Atkins called on our merchants here last week.

Mr. W. S. Griffin, one of our model farmers, has finished up his farm in the way of stump pulling, and where he has been taking up stumps that have so long occupied so much good soil, there is a marked improvement. Any one who is bothered by having to plow around stumps year in and out, will do well to call on the above named gentleman and get a pattern of his horse power stump puller, for it does the work O. K.

Our new bank at this place, did itself proud. The first day's business reached a ten thousand dollar deposit. This is quite an encouragement to the management and speaks well for the community. It only shows what the cooperation of citizens will do. We do love to see a man hold up his own bank or any thing else of his own community. Beware of the man who will pull his own country's interest down.

JOPPA.

We are having beautiful weather now. Farming talk seems to be the order of the day but not much work done yet.

Buggies and runabouts have to be set aside on account of the roads being in such bad condition.

Mr. Ben Powell has moved from here to the Dr. Miller place to live with his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Willin.

Our merchant, Mr. Sam Coffey, is still paying 19 1/2 cents for eggs.

The wheat crop looks well and promises to be a good one.

R. O. Cabbell and mother visited Mr. W. D. Montgomery's family at Ozark, Saturday.

Mr. John Young is having the ell part of his house raised higher which will add a great deal to the looks of it.

Miss Dora Young has been on the sick list a few days.

E. T. Jeffries, of Columbia, was here Friday on business.

Mr. Oliver Willis and family and Mr. Bert Willis left Monday for McComb, Ill.

Misses Pinkie, Ruba and Laura Jeffries entertained very charmingly a large crowd Tuesday night.

The Sunday school at Zion has a very good attendance though it could be better.

Nearly every person who is subject to attacks from the stomach suffers from a morbid dread of a dietetic treatment for relief, that is three-fourths starvation, and one-fourth toast and milk. On the other hand you can eat as you please and digest the food by the aid of a good digestant, thus giving the tired stomach a much rest. Eat what you please and take a little Kodol For Indigestion after your meals. It digests what you eat. Sold by Dr. J. N. Page, Columbia Ky.

THURLOW.

The health of this community is very good.

The sick list contains Mrs. Martha Arnett and "Uncle" Alex Jeffries.

Miss Iva Wilcoxson is visiting at Mr. G. A. Blakeman's.

Messrs. Cosby Tucker and Hensley Warf, of Ill., are visiting relatives at this place.

Elroy, the little son of H. B. Shuffett, fell from a fence and broke his arm a few days ago, but is improving nicely.

Misses Mary and Pernie Loy visited their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Hood, from Saturday until Thursday.

A nice oyster soup supper was given at Mr. David Blakeman's, a few nights ago, and was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Claud Huffman and Miss Lidda Wilcox, daughter of R. J. Wilcox, a prosperous merchant of Exie, and also Greensburg, were married Wednesday.

Dr. W. B. Helm our coroner, was called to Miami last Saturday to hold an inquest over the dead.

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WITH OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Week's happenings—News Important or Otherwise as Reported By Our Corps of Correspondents.

GRADYVILLE.

Rev. J. W. Sexton preached at the Baptist church last Sunday.

Rev. G. Y. Wilson is holding a revival service at Summer Shade church this week.

Miss Mollie and Rose Hunter visited at Columbia a few days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hindman visited the family of Mr. W. A. Hindman near Milltown last Sunday.

Rev. J. A. Johnson spent last Friday night with the family of C. O. Moss while on return from Glasgow.

Mr. Ed Yates who has been located in the good old state of Tenn., for the past year, is visiting his many friends and relatives in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baker, of Bliss, spent a day or so visiting their relatives in our city last week.

Dr. S. A. Taylor was called to see Mr. James Kemp, of Kemp, last Friday. Mr. Kemp is one of the best citizens of that community and we trust he will be restored to his usual health in the near future.

A. W. Tarter, of Columbia, was on our streets one day last week shaking hands with his friends.

Thos. Dudley and Jo L. Garrett, of color, have the chromo, both have taken down a fox a piece at a long range recently.

Austin Wilmore has accepted a position with Terry, Hughes, Commer & Co., of Glasgow, in their whole sale dry good department.

Mrs. Geo. H. Nell entertained a few of her friends last Saturday in honor of her brother, Ernest Yates, of Brownwood, Texas.

Miss Ann Dohoney one of Milltown's accomplished young lady's spent a day or so here last week.

Miss Sallie Diddle and Mrs. J. D. Walker, of Columbia, visited their brother, Mr. J. A. Diddle, of our city a few days of last week.

Mr. John D. Lowe the popular

shoeman, of Columbia, called to see us on his return from Nell last Friday where he sold Walker & Son's a nice lot of shoes. John sure has the right prices and the shoes too.

Miss Clara D. Wilmore who has been teaching at Edgaton, Mo., for the past four or five months returned home last Wednesday. Miss Clara is well pleased with Mo.

Alvan Kemp, of Jones City, Oklahoma, is spending a short time with relatives and friends in this community.

Mr. W. L. Grady the well-known stockman, of this place, received a telegram one day last week for a Peacock horse to be shipped to Brownwood, Texas, at once.

Mr. J. F. Pendleton the, well-known tobacco dealer of this section, informed your reported that he had bought about fifty thousand pounds up to this time.

Mr. G. T. Flowers spent last Friday in Columbia and on his return his son Lee, a student of the L. W. T. S. accompanied him home.

Mrs. C. Wilmore spent several days of last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Walker, of Columbia.

Mr. W. C. Hill and wife entertained a few of their friends one night last week with some excellent stringed music.

Misses Mollie Flowers and Mable Hindman were the guests of Miss Pearl Hindman, of the Milltown, community last Thursday.

Mr. E. F. Rowe, one of Sparksville's well known farmers, was on our streets last Friday and reported everything moving nicely in his section. Mr. Rowe is a fine talker and well up on most any subject and our people usually flock around to get the news. Come again.

Dr. L. C. Nell bought last week from J. C. Yates his farm for \$800. This farm is part of the late J. A. Coffey farm and is considered one of the best farms in the community for the amount of land.

The social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stephens on Friday night was well attended and the young people enjoyed the occasion very much.

Mr. J. M. Wilson, one of our wide awake farmers as well as business men, was in our midst last Friday and informed your reporter that he was just through slaughtering hogs and it goes without saying that he has every thing in store to make life easy and happy. His estimable sister, Miss Juliza, knows exactly how to prepare the good things for the table and to make you feel pleasant when in their midst. At all times the latch string is on the outside of the door ready for your welcome.

Started for Brownwood, Texas, last Monday. Mr. D. A. Grady and family, W. L. Sharp and family, Jo Yates and family, in company with Ernest Yates and his sister, Miss Irene. We regret very much to give up these good citizens as we are all aware they will not only be missed in the business circle but their pews in the Sunday School and church will be vacant. We certainly can commend these good people to any community wherever they may locate.

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HATCHER.

Daniel and Robert Miller had 4 sheep killed and 5 crippled by dogs this week. A great deal of hard feeling was engendered by killing a guilty dog and no doubt some indictments will be found against party owning dog.

Miss Nina Winn, of Bruce, Ky., is visiting relatives in Taylor and Green counties. She has made many friends during her stay, and they all wish her to make another visit soon.

Dr. S.-H. Kelsey, who recently located here, has had several calls and all are satisfied that he is well qualified to practice his profession.

Mrs. Mattie Moody, who has been confined to her room with pulmonary trouble, is not any better, and is not expected to live long.

Judge Isaac Thurman commenced Court Monday. His instructions to the jury put terror in the minds of the law breakers. He conducts Court on strictly business principles—no partiality is shown any one.

The people are beginning to feel the need of a bridge at Green river. Business is partially effected on this side of the river, and the sooner the bridge is rebuilt the better condition business will be.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gaines entertained the young people Saturday evening. There was a large attendance, and no one regretted going.

Mr. Alex Marcum and family, of Greensburg, are visiting relatives here.

Rev. Wood Prescott preached at Liberty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Miller, of Mt. Vernon, are visiting relatives in this community.

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